

**COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No:
760-114 CON/RES

In Re Application Of: Schmitt et al.

Serial No. 09/464,610	Filing Date December 15, 1999	Examiner Jackson, S.J.	Group Art Unit 3738
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This is a combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of
10/10/02 in the above-identified application.

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated October 10, 2002 finally rejecting Claim(s) 17-32.

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